IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andrew R. Osborn

Serial No. : 09/692,852 Group Art Unit: 2153

Attry. No.: 65,270-002 Examiner: Strange, Aaron N.

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Title : DISTRIBUTION MULTIPROCESSING SYSTEM

THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed 05/19/2006, Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$510.00 for the Three-Month Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 08-2789 in the name of Howard & Howard Attorneys, P.C. If any additional fees are necessary to respond to the outstanding Official Action, you are hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 08-2789.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS, P.C.

November 10, 2006

Date

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